



**THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Title: INFORMATION PROVIDING SERVER, CLIENT,  
INFORMATION PROVIDING SYSTEM PROCESSING  
METHOD, RECORDING MEDIUM RECORDING A  
PROGRAM, AND ADVERTISEMENT PROVIDING METHOD  
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**AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

This communication is responsive to the non-final Office Action dated August 12, 2008, concerning the above-referenced patent application.

A petition and fee for a two-month extension of time are being submitted concurrently herewith.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this document.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 32 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows:

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